

## THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 10.

**FATAL SHELL EXPLOSION.**—Thursday afternoon Wm. Wyble, captain of the schooner Julia R., lying alongside the Abattoir, in Harborside Cove, Jersey City, was blown to atoms by the explosion of a bombshell. He thought the shell was not charged, and had it between his knees endeavoring to dislodge the screw from the top of it by hammering on it with an axe, when the shell exploded and killed him instantly.

**MAN KILLED.**—Henry Banks, colored, was killed at Willis & Sisson's saw mill, in Orange, on Friday last. The mill bands were rolling logs down the hill, and Banks had what is called the catch-pole, and missing the log, it rolled over him mashing him to a jelly. —*Culpeper Times.*

## FALL CLOTHING.

My stock of FALL CLOTHING and GENTS FURNISHING GOODS is now complete, comprising the greatest variety of SUITS, of the latest styles, best material and finest finish ever before offered.

I am doing a large business, with comparatively small expenses; hence my ability to sell cheaper than the like can be procured in larger cities. My stock being unsurpassed in variety and quality, you will do well to give me a call and thereby save a large percentage.

S. DEALHAM, Fashionable Clothier,  
oct 9 89 King street.

## Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers.

We are this day receiving a full line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers, suitable for Fall and Winter, embracing all of the latest styles. We solicit purchasers to call and examine for themselves, as they will be sold at low prices.

W. B. WADDEY, 74 King st.  
sep 22

## Special Notice.

## GENTS' EXTRA FINE BOOTS AND SHOES.

We have just received a fresh supply of Gents' extra fine, hand-sewed Boots and Shoes, and Slippers of every description, which we unhesitatingly recommend to be the very best on sale in the city.

W. B. WADDEY,  
sep 22 74 King street.

## MUSICAL GOODS

A new lot of beautiful GERMAN ACCORDIONS; also FRENCH do.; MUSICAL BOXES, HARMONICAS, FINE GUITARS, VIOLINS, BANJOS, TAMBOURINES, FLUTES, AGAGOLETS, Drums, Zithers, Fine Music Pellos, &c.

A new lot of Guitar and Violin Strings, of all grades, wholesale and retail. Popular New songs and Pieces received as soon as published. Any music published in the United States furnished on short notice.

New and second-hand Pianos and Organs for sale or rent.  
Organs and Pianos tuned, repaired and packed. Call at  
V. BECKER'S Piano and  
dec 12-14 Music Warehouses, 112 King st.,  
Alexandria, Virginia.

## \$2000 WORTH \$2000

## CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES!

For the season of 1875, my first large consignment of Children's Carriages, comprising a great variety of the best in the market, will be in store by the latter part of February. Wholesale in quantities at New York figures. Our own liberal features—offered by no other house in the United States—of guaranteeing every Carriage sold for one year, will be continued. Wheels, Springs, Nuts, Handles, &c., always on hand for local accommodation.

Buy your Carriages here, and save both money and trouble.  
CHAS. W. GREEN,  
jan 26 76 King street.

## CHEAP BOSOMS!

We have just purchased a large lot of shirt Bosoms at a great reduction in price on account of being store stained. They will be sold cheap.

D. F. WITMER CO.  
jan 10

## GROCERS, would you please your customers

and increase your trade? Then sell JAMES S. WELCH'S and "STONEWALL" FAMILY FLOUR.

DELAFLANE & FOWLE,  
feb 4 27 King street.

## DRIED FRUIT—5 bbls Dried Peaches,

halves, just received; also Peeled Peaches, Pears and Apples, for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN,  
feb 3 19 north Royal st.

## CUTLER'S POCKET INHALEERS.

We have just received a supply of the ab. v. with the latest improvements.

HENRY COOK & CO.  
feb 4

## DRESS GOODS!

At Cost!  
To make way for new stock, by  
feb 1 WM. N. BARKLEY & SON.

## POTOMAC SHAD and Northern do., for

sale at retail by  
G. WM. RAMSAY,  
jan 20 Cor. King and St. Asaph streets.

## CANNED TOMATOES, Corn, Peaches,

Pears, &c., for sale cheap by  
G. WM. RAMSAY,  
jan 20 Cor. King and St. Asaph streets.

## SOUSED PIGS' FEET and PENNSYLVANIA

APPLE BUTTER received this day and for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN,  
jan 21 19 north Royal st.

## FISH—Smoked Blosters, Cod Fish, Labrador

Herrings, and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, received and for sale by  
DAVY & HARMON,  
jan 21

## 10-4 SHEETINGS and OTHER DO-

MESTICS received this morning.  
D. F. WITMER CO.,  
feb 5

## BEST and CHEAPEST IMPORTED and

DOMESTIC CIGARS.  
G. WM. RAMSAY,  
jan 20 Cor. King and St. Asaph streets.

## SELECTED FAMILY ROE HERRING in

store and for sale at 147 King st.  
W. F. BROOKES,  
feb 6

## ANOTHER lot of those fine HAMS, of small

sizes, received to-day by  
J. C. MILBURN,  
jan 26

## FRESH FIGS, PRUNES and LAYER

RAISINS received this day by  
DAVY & HARMON,  
jan 21

## LADIES' LINEN CUFFS and COLLARS.

Latest styles, just opened.  
D. F. WITMER CO.,  
feb 6

## 150 BUSHELS CHOICE WESTERN

CLOVER SEED for sale by  
WASHINGTON & BRO.,  
jan 2

## BURT'S FINE SHOES,

for LADIES, MISSES and CHILDREN,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' and YOUTH'S BOOTS,  
Kip and Calf, good and cheap,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES' and CHILD-  
KEN'S OVERSHOES,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King st.

MISSES' FINE BUTTON BOOTS,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

NEW STYLES LADIES' GAITERS,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' FINE SHOES,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' HANDSOME BUTTON BOOTS,  
At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LEMONS—Messina Lemons just received by  
J. C. MILBURN,  
jan 20

APPLE and PEACH BUTTER just received by  
J. C. MILBURN,  
jan 21

## JOB PRINTING

1875.

Alexandria Gazette

## Job Printing Office

GAZETTE BUILDING.

## JOB TYPE,

selected with great care, from which we are

## Job Printing,

OF ALL KINDS,

guaranteeing perfect satisfaction in every par-

Our facilities are such that we are enabled to

PRINT ANYTHING,

FROM A VISITING CARD TO THE LARG-

WE GUARANTEE OUR PRICES TO BE

AS LOW AS THOSE OF ANY MORE

PERSONS FAVORING US WITH THEIR

ORDERS MAY RELY UPON HAVING

WEDDING CARDS,

BUSINESS CARDS,

BILL HEADS,

INSURANCE POLICIES,

RAILROAD RECEIPTS,

LETTER HEADS,

TAGS,

TICKETS,

BILLS OF LADING,

BLANKS,

BOOKS,

POSTERS,

HAND-BILLS,

ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY

Filled at short notice.

## SEND IN YOUR ORDERS

ALEXANDRIA, January 21, 1875.

## Alexandria Gazette

1875.

THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER has already entered upon the last quarter of a century of its existence. Few newspapers in the country are its seniors. During all this period its prominent object has been to advance the interests of the people of whose life it is the daily chronicle. Its fortunes have been their fortunes; it has shared their prosperity and suffered in their disasters. Its inspiration has been the desire to forward the best interests of the community in which it is located, and its own prosperity is, as it has been purposely made, inseparable from that of the community that it aims to represent. When they grow rich it hopes for a reward commensurate with its labors. While they are poor, it expects to work with them and for them, expecting to make their success the measure of its own.

The past of the Gazette is offered as an index of its future. It has never failed to avail itself promptly of all the improvements which come with the greater growth and more extended experience of journalism.

The Gazette means to be the newspaper of Virginia.

It will furnish daily a complete account, with superfluities only lopped away, of all the current news of the world.

As the interests of the people mainly centre at home, no pains will be spared to chronicle all matters occurring in the city and neighborhood, carefully excluding unbecomingly expressions or gross narrative as unfit for a journal that is treasured at many thousand hearthstones of Virginia.

Especially attention will be devoted to presenting, as well from original sources of information as from its exchanges, the news of Virginia.

Its contiguity to Washington gives the Gazette an early precedence over all the journals of the State in intelligence of the operations of the General Government, now of such vital importance to the people of the South. The proceedings of Congress will be regularly reported in succinct form for its columns, but all matters of special interest in Virginia will be given in detail.

From the State Capital it will receive early and accurate accounts of the proceedings of the General Assembly and of all the operations of the State government likely to interest the people.

In its commercial columns the special feature will be promptness and accuracy. The farmers, drovers and commercial people of the State know they may depend upon the Gazette.

Early and reliable reports of the Grain, Cattle, Grocery and other Markets will be furnished, and the prices and position of the stocks, which are the subjects of business transactions in this section of the country, carefully quoted.

The continual favors of those who have once used the Gazette as an advertising medium is a warrant for saying that it pays to advertise in its columns.

## TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

DAILY.  
One year.....\$5 00  
Six months..... 4 00  
Three months..... 2 00  
One month..... 0 75

## TRI-WEEKLY.

One year.....\$5 00  
Six months..... 2 50  
Three months..... 1 25

Payable in advance.

Alexandria, January 21, 1875.

## BOOTS AND SHOES.

1875.

The subscriber has just had manufactured one of the largest and best stocks of goods in his line ever offered in this market, which he can afford to sell at prices to suit the times. He names in part—

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

## BOOTS &amp; SHOES,

OF FINE AND COARSE WORK,

manufactured from the best material, and in the most durable and elegant manner, comprising a great variety of new and handsome styles. Also a large stock of

## BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS

SUITABLE FOR THE

COUNTRY TRADE.

to which he invites the especial attention country merchants and farmers.

All in want will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

W. B. WADDEY,  
74 King street.  
sep 17 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

## GROCERIES.

SAMUEL J. REED,

## CHEAP FAMILY GROCER,

No. 74 south Fairfax st.

Begs leave to call the attention of the public to the fact that he has now on hand—

CHOICE FAMILY BACON,  
PORK LEAF LARD, put up in small packages expressly for family use.

MINCE MEAT,  
SAUSAGE MEAT—all of his own manufacture—which cannot be surpassed. Call and try them.

Also a large supply of CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, FRESH ROLL BUTTER, and POULTRY, of all kinds, received daily and a fine assortment of CHOICE MEATS. dec 17

## CHOICE GROCERIES.

The attention of my customers and the public generally is respectfully called to a large line of choice goods, such as—

RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON,  
PRESERVED PEACHES,  
CANNED GOODS in great variety,  
ENGLISH and AMERICAN PICKLES,  
WORCESTERSHIRE and other SAUCES,  
NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES,  
NEW YORK and VA. BUCKWHEAT,  
HOMIN GRITS, &c., &c.

together with a full stock of pure BRANDIES, WHISKIES, WINES, &c., &c. Also Virginia Crab Apple, New York and Newark CIDER—all of which will be sold at the very lowest rates, consistent with fair dealing.

JOSEPH HOPKINS, Grocer,  
dec 2 No. 5 north Fairfax st.

## W. A. JOHNSON,

DEALER IN

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS,

NO. 44 CORNER QUEEN AND PITT STS.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

He would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish them with all kinds of

POTOMAC FISH,  
at the lowest possible prices, and would call the attention of buyers to the fact that his brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and that he intends to sustain his reputation in all respects.

All orders addressed to William A. Johnson, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.

W. F. BROOKES,  
DEC 4-11

DEALER IN

FINE AND FANCY GROCERIES,

147 King street,

Alexandria, Virginia.

Special attention given to the selection TEAS, COFFEES and FAMILY FLOUR.

GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON,  
DEC 10-11

Dealers in

CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCER-

IES, WINES AND LIQUORS,

ENGLISH and SCOTCH ALE and BROWN

STOUT.

Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING and MACKEREL.

NOS. 106 AND 170 KING STREET,  
(Washington Hall Building),  
Alexandria, Va.

Orders promptly filled. mh 31-11

## G. WM. RAMSAY,

WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,

—AND—

TEA DEALER

S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

nov 22-11

## WOOD AND COAL.

COAL!

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On the wharf and to arrive a full stock of all kinds of

ANTHRACITE and CUMBERLAND COAL.

Sold at market rates per ton 220 lbs.  
aug 14-11 W. A. SMOOT, Smoot's wharf.

## COAL!

We have now on hand and are constantly receiving at our wharf and storage yard, foot of Queen street, all the best COALS known to this market. We name in part:

LYKEN'S VALLEY,  
SHAMOKIN and EAST FRANKLIN LOB-

BERRY RED ASH,  
JOHN'S, from EAGLE VEIN COLLIERY.

The coaled streets in Alexandria city, Virginia, and the best in the market.

And LEE and STANTON WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, of Steamer, Broken, Egg Stone and Nut sizes.

Also, GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL.

Also HICKORY, OAK and PINE WOOD. Having ample space, each variety of Coal is kept distinct from that of others, and is especially prepared for family use. Yards located and Coal sent out well screened and free from slate, 2240 lbs to the ton. Orders left with Messrs. Claridge & Grigg, corner King and Royal sts., or at the yards will be promptly filled.

T. J. MEHAFFEY & CO.,  
Jy 17 Wharf and Yard foot of Queen st.

## SEED!

We have just received from the old and reliable firm of Landreth & Son our first supply of

NEW CROP GARDEN SEED  
for the Spring of 1875.

LANDRETH'S ALMANACS and CATALOGUES can be had upon application.

feb 6 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM, Wizard Oil, Nicholas' Elixir of Iron and Bark, Clarke's Anti-Bilious Compound, Bull's Cough Syrup, Simmons' Liver Regulator, Sage's Catarrh Remedy, Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Norwood's Tincture, Alcock's Porous Plasters, and Bubbler's Prepared Wheat, received and for sale by

jan 27 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

E. L. BROCKETT,  
COMMERCIAL BROKER,  
No. 7 Fairfax street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.

Protects sample merchants through his license, and sells all kinds of merchandise on commission. Rates fair. feb 4-11

## STEAMBOATS.

## CLYDE'S STEAM LINES

PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON.

Steamers leave Alexandria EVERY TUESDAY, and leave Philadelphia EVERY SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock m.

from Pier No. 1 North Wharves.

This line connects with the O. & A. & M. and W. & O. R. R. at Philadelphia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for Providence and Boston.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commissions.

No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Through to Boston in six days, via New York, and through to Philadelphia in five days. Insurance guaranteed at less than usual rates.

Agents:  
P. A. REED, Alexandria,  
WM. P. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia.  
GEO. F. HYDE, Georgetown, D. C.

## WINTER ARRANGEMENT

POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.

After this date the steamer PILOT BOY will be run as follows:

Leave Washington, from 6th st. wharf, every TUESDAY and SATURDAY MORNING, at 7 o'clock, for landings as far down as Currioman, returning on WEDNESDAY and SUNDAY.

F. A. REED, Agent.

## POTOMAC FERRY BOATS.

On Sunday, the 20th, and until further notice, BOTH FERRY BOATS will be on the line between Washington and Alexandria. Hourly trips from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

S. S. HOWISON,  
Pres. Potomac Ferry Co.

## NORFOLK AND BOSTON.

The steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, connecting at Norfolk with the steamer "The City," for Boston, will leave here every MONDAY and THURSDAY at 2:30 p. m., for Norfolk. Returning, leave Norfolk on TUESDAY, and FRIDAYS, at 3 p. m., stopping at Port Washington, Truro, and then to Point Lookout and Fortress Monroe.

This line, connecting at Alexandria with the O. & A. & M. and W. & O. R. R., and at Norfolk with the Boston steamers, offers superior inducements for the rapid and careful shipment of all kinds of freight to Boston. The rates being the lowest, and the shipping facilities the best directed to this feature. All freight forwarded free of commission, and through bills of lading given.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to V. D. GRONER, Norfolk, J. G. WATERS, Georgetown, or

F. A. REED, Agent Alexandria,  
A. G. PLANT, Gen. Agt.,  
Cor. 15th st. and New York ave.  
Washington, D. C.

First class fare to Norfolk, \$4; round trip, \$6. Second class fare to Norfolk, \$3; round trip, \$5. sep 22-11

## MERCHANTS' LINE NEW YORK

STEAMSHIPS.

The line consists of the following first-class outside steamers:

E. C. KNIGHT, Capt. W. S. Johnson  
JOHN GIBSON, Capt. W. H. Winters